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Dear Parents and Carers

PAFOTS

Today we held a non-uniform day and raised £174.20 for PAFOTS! Try and support the following events which will all raise funds for school that will be spent on those extra things that the school budget cannot stretch to. PAFOTS support the school by purchasing items that will enrich the schooling of all children within the school – so every child benefits from their hard work.

School Disco - £1.50

Don't forget tonight's disco: Reception & KS1: 5.30-6.30pm & KS2: 6.30 – 7.30pm. Please return the permission slip sent home today with your child to the disco, children are to enter and leave school via the double doors between the Gold Room and Y3.

Table Top Sale

On Saturday 11th March PAFOTS are holding a Table Top Sale from 10.30 – 1.00pm at school. Please let them know if you would like to book a table to sell by emailing them on PAFOTS17@GMAIL.COM and don't forget to come along and support them and come early to bag yourself a bargain!

Bingo at Memorial Hall

On 31st March PAFOTS are holding a bingo at the Memorial Hall in the village. Doors open 6pm – eyes down at 6.30pm. There will be a bar and they have some fantastic prizes! £1 per game/£5 per book. Please put the date in your diary and come along to support PAFOTS.

Pinkery Visit

Place letters have been sent home today to Y5 pupils about their forthcoming trip to Pinkery. Please accept places and pay a deposit via www.parentpay.com An information meeting for parents and children has been arranged for Tuesday 28th March at 6pm.

Red Nose Day



We have red noses in school for sale @ £1. Children may buy them after school on Fridays leading up to Red Nose Day on 24th March. On red nose day we will be 'wearing something silly' for comic relief!

Company number: 7700773

KS2 Swimming

The timetable is as follows and shows the return time to school for children in sessions 2:

Dates	Session 1	Session 2
27.4.17	Year 5	Year 6 (4pm)
4.5.17	Year 5	Year 6 (4pm)
11.5.17	Year 6	Year 5 (4pm)
18.5.17	Year 6	Year 5 (4pm)

Dates	Session 1	Session 2
8.6.17	Year 3	Year 4 (4pm)
15.6.17	Year 3	Year 4 (4pm)
22.6.17	Year 4	Year 3 (4pm)
29.6.17	Year 4	Year 3 (4pm)

Please could children tie back long hair or wear a swimming hat and remember to take a swimsuit, towel and goggles, if children have them. Children may also wear a rash vest if they wish. If your child has an asthma inhaler or any other necessary medications, please can they ensure that they take them with them to the pool.

Please give permission and payment via parentpay or by taking the individually barcoded letter sent home today and cash to anywhere that displays a paypoint sign. Fees may be paid at any time from now but before your child's sessions commence.

Sports Reports

Y5/6 Girls Netball V Kings Hall

Mrs Churchill's Report: On Wednesday two teams went to play netball against Kings Hall. This was one very close game with great passing, just more determination needed to keep hold of the ball as we are too nice! The other game highlighted that we need to move quickly and find available spaces. A great learning opportunity. Players' players went to Jess, Kayla, Nancy and Lola P.

Y5/6 Boys Hockey V Chard School – Cancelled

Area Hockey Finals

Mr Bulbeck's Report: On Thursday we took 2 mixed teams to Yeovil to compete in the South Somerset Hockey Competition with a place in the full county finals up for grabs. The 8 teams were split into 2 groups, each playing 3 games with the top 2 teams qualifying for the semi-finals. The "A" team started very well winning their first game 7-0, they followed that up with 4-0 and 6-0 wins to top their group. The "B" team also started well winning the first game 2-1, they then played extremely well in the second match but conceded late in the game to lose 1-2, the last game also finished 1-2, however, the other results meant that we finished second in the group and also qualified for the semi-finals with a match against our "A" team!! This meant we were guaranteed to have a team in the final which in turn would qualify for the full County Finals. The semi started closely but in the end the "A" team won and got through to the final. In the final we sadly underperformed and lost 0-2, however in the 3/4th play off the "B" team won 2-1 which meant we finished 2nd and 3rd which is a fantastic achievement. Really well played to all!

Y3/4 Boys Hockey V Mrs Ethelstons

Mrs Churchill's Report: On Thursday we played a match against Mrs Ethelstons and won 9-2! I was very pleased with Tatworth, not only their skills and determination, but their team ethos. They were friendly and supportive. Very proud, well done. Players' player Kendra.

Fixtures

Y5/6 Hockey/Girls Netball V St Johns

On Wednesday 15th we take two teams to St Johns to play hockey and netball. We will be leaving school at 1.30pm and have arranged transport for the teams. Permission letters have already been sent home and parents are asked to make payment via parentpay. The teams are: Kirra, Hannah, Ruby, Sammy, Phoebe G, Nancy, Daisy R, Lola P, Flynn, Sam Gr, Monty W, Darcie, Freya, Lydia, James and Finlay.

Y3/4 Boys Hockey V Chard Sch

On Thursday 16th we take a team to Chard School to play hockey. We will be leaving school at 3.15pm and should return approx. 5.15pm. We are asking parents to help us to transport the children - unfortunately the children will not be able to take part if drivers do not come forward. If you can help please return the slip and let the office know, we need you to inform your insurance company and provide us with car/insurance details. Letters have been sent home today to the selected children are Kendra, Rueben, Toby, Oliver, Leon, Sam Gl, Willow H & Aiden.

Mr Bulbeck's Holiday Club

Mr Bulbeck will be holding his usual holiday club on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th April. Please find a form attached.

Yours sincerely



Steve Clarke

*****Dates for the Diary *****

Wednesday 15th 1.30pm: Y5/6 Boys Hockey/Girls Netball V St Johns (A) ST
Y5/6 Sports Practise/Forest School

Thursday 16th 3.15pm: Y3/4 Boys Hockey V Chard Sch. (A) PT
Y3/4 Sports Practise/Forest School

Wednesday 22nd 3.30/5.00: Science Workshop (by invitation)
2.45pm: Y3456 Stockland Cross Country (A) ST
Y5/6 Sports Practise/Forest School

Thursday 23rd Y3/4 Sports Practise/Forest School

Tuesday 28th 6.00pm Y5 Pinkery Meeting

Wednesday 29th 2.10pm: Y5/6 Inter House Netball
Y5/6 Forest School

Thursday 30th 2.10pm: Y3/4 Inter House Netball
Y3/4 Forest School

*****PAFOTS Events *****

Friday 10th March Non Uniform Day
5.30-6.30pm R & KS1 Disco / 6.30 – 7.30pm: KS2 Disco

Saturday 11th March 10.30am: Table Top Sale

Friday 24th March Comic Relief – Theme: 'Wear Something Silly' £1

Saturday 22nd April 9-3.30: Community Day – Volunteers needed!

Friday 30th June Summer Fete (after school)

*****Forward Dates *****

Wednesday 17th May Sports Day: AM: KS2 & PM: KS1 & Reception

Thursday 25th May Reserve Sports Day

*****Cake Days *****

31st March